

IAP16 Rec'd PCT/PTO 25 SEP 2006

10/594170

BURNHAM.010NP

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Feng et al.
Int.Appl. No.	:	PCT/US2005/010380
Int. Filing date	:	March 25, 2005
For	:	MODULATORS OF SHP2 TYROSINE PHOSPHATASE AND THEIR USE IN THE TREATMENT OF BODY WEIGHT DISORDERS
Examiner	:	Unknown
Group Art Unit	:	Unknown

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. National Phase application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.